

Amendments to the Claims:

This listing of claims replaces any and all prior claim lists.

Listing of Claims:

Claim 1 (Currently amended). A composition comprising:

- a) ~~From~~ from 20 w/w% to 70 w/w% cereal proteins,
- b) ~~From~~ from 25 w/w% to 70 w/w% maltodextrin having a DE of 3 to 10,
~~preferably DE of 5,~~
- c) ~~From~~ from 1 w/w% to 20 w/w% amino acids, and
- d) ~~From~~ from 0 w/w% to 20 w/w% minerals.

Claim 2 (Currently amended). A composition according to claim 1, ~~characterised in that it~~ wherein said composition further is comprising comprises from 1 to 45% w/w fat.

Claim 3 (Currently Amended). A composition according to claim 1 ~~or 2 characterised in that~~ wherein said cereal proteins are wheat proteins, ~~preferably hydrolysed wheat gluten.~~

Claim 4 (Currently Amended). A composition according to ~~anyone of claims 1 to 3 characterised in that~~ claim 1, wherein said amino acids are lysine, threonine, tryptophane, or mixtures thereof.

Claim 5 (Currently Amended). A composition according to ~~anyone of claims 1 to 4 characterised in that is comprising~~ claim 1, wherein said composition comprises:

- a) ~~From~~ from 20 w/w% to 50 w/w% wheat gluten,

- b) ~~From from~~ 30 w/w% to 70 w/w% maltodextrin having a DE of 3 to 10,
preferably a DE of 5,
- c) ~~From from~~ 1 w/w% to 5 w/w% lysine,
- d) ~~From from~~ 0.3 w/w% to 5 w/w% threonine,
- e) ~~From from~~ 0.05 w/w% to 2 w/w% thryptophane,
- f) ~~From from~~ 0 w/w% to 5% w/w% calcium-based salts,
- g) ~~From from~~ 0 w/w% to 10 w/w% phosphate-based salts,
- h) ~~From from~~ 0 w/w% to 45 w/w% fat, and
- i) ~~From from~~ 0 w/w% to 5 w/w% sodium chloride.

Claim 6 (Currently Amended). A composition according to ~~anyone of claims 1 to 5~~
~~characterised in that it is comprising~~ claim 1, wherein said composition comprises:

- a) ~~From from~~ 35 w/w% to 45 w/w% wheat gluten,
- b) ~~From from~~ 45 w/w% to 55 w/w% maltodextrin having a DE of 3 to 10
preferably a DE of 5,
- c) ~~From from~~ 1 w/w% to 5 w/w% lysine,
- d) ~~From from~~ 0.3 w/w% to 5 w/w% threonine,
- e) ~~From from~~ 0.05 w/w% to 2 w/w% thryptophane,
- f) ~~From from~~ 0 w/w% to 5% w/w% calcium hydroxide,
- g) ~~From from~~ 0 w/w% to 10 w/w% salts of phosphoric acid,
- h) ~~From from~~ 0 w/w% to 5 w/w% sodium chloride, and
- i) ~~From from~~ 0 w/w% to 45 w/w% fat.

Claim 7 (Currently amended). A process for preparing a composition of cereal
protein, maltodextrin, and amino acids, ~~and~~ said process is comprising:

- a) ~~Blending~~ blending in liquid phase maltodextrin having a DE of 3 to 10, preferably a DE of 5, and cereal proteins preferably wheat gluten,
- b) ~~Increasing~~ increasing the dry substance of the liquid phase,
- c) ~~Adding~~ adding amino acids in liquid form for obtaining a liquid composition,
- d) ~~Optionally~~ optionally adding water soluble minerals for obtaining a completed composition,
- e) ~~Optionally~~ optionally adding fat and homogenizing with the liquid or completed composition, and
- f) ~~Drying of~~ drying the liquid composition or completed composition.

Claim 8 (Currently amended). A process according to claim 7 ~~characterized in that~~, wherein in step f) the liquid or completed composition is dried in a ringdryer.

Claim 9 (Currently Amended). A process according to claim 7 ~~or 8 and~~, wherein said process ~~is comprising~~ comprises the following steps:

- a) ~~Hydrolysing~~ hydrolyzing wheat gluten for obtaining hydrolysed wheat gluten ~~of having a~~ degree of hydrolysis (DH) between 3 and 15%,
- b) ~~Hydrolysing~~ hydrolyzing starch to maltodextrin of DE of from 3 to 10,
- c) ~~Blending~~ blending in liquid phase hydrolysed wheat gluten and maltodextrin,
- d) ~~Increasing~~ increasing the dry substance of liquid phase to at least 55%w/w,
- e) ~~Adding~~ adding amino acids in liquid form for obtaining a liquid composition,
- f) ~~Optionally~~ optionally adding water soluble minerals and/or fat for obtaining a completed composition,
- g) ~~Optionally~~ optionally adding fat and homogenizing with the liquid or completed composition, and

- h) ~~Drying of~~ drying the liquid composition or completed composition.

Claim 10 (Currently Amended). A process according to ~~anyone of claims claim 7 to 9~~
and said process is comprising the following steps:

- a) ~~Hydrolysing~~ hydrolyzing wheat gluten for obtaining hydrolysed wheat gluten of degree of hydrolysis (DH) between 3 and 15%,
- b) ~~Hydrolysing~~ hydrolyzing starch to maltodextrin of DE of 5,
- c) ~~Blending~~ blending in liquid phase hydrolysed wheat gluten and maltodextrin,
- d) ~~Increasing~~ increasing dry substance of liquid phase to 60%w/w,
- e) ~~Hydrolysing~~ hydrolyzing in liquid form lysine, threonine and tryptophane for obtaining liquid composition,
- f) ~~Hydrolysing~~ hydrolyzing calcium hydroxide, salts of phosphoric acid and sodium chloride for obtaining a completed composition,
- g) ~~Optionally~~ optionally adding fat and homogenizing with the completed composition, and
- h) ~~Drying of~~ drying the completed composition.

Claim 11 (Currently amended). ~~Use of~~ A method for replacing milk powder in a food application or in feed application comprising using a composition comprising a) from 20 w/w% to 70 w/w% cereal proteins, b) from 25 w/w% to 70 w/w% maltodextrin having a DE of 3 to 10, ~~preferably a DE of 5~~, c) from 1 w/w% to 20 w/w% amino acids, d) from 0 w/w% to 20 w/w% minerals, and e) from 0 w/w% to 45 w/w% fat, ~~for replacing milk powder in food applications or feed applications~~ instead of at least a portion of the milk powder when preparing said food application or feed application.

Claim 12 (Currently amended). ~~Use~~ The method according to claim 12 ~~characterised in that~~, wherein said feed applications are suitable for young animals.

Claim 13 (Currently Amended). ~~Use~~ The method according to claim 13 ~~characterised in that~~ 12, wherein said young animals are selected from the group consisting of calves, piglets, lambs, and pet.

Claim 14 (Currently amended). A calf milk replacer comprising ~~ealf milk replacer as~~ ingredients ~~and~~ from 1 to 55% of a composition which is containing a) from 20 w/w% to 70 w/w% cereal proteins, b) from 25 w/w% to 70 w/w% maltodextrin having a DE of 3 to 10, ~~preferably a DE of 5~~, c) from 1 w/w% to 20 w/w% amino acids, d) from 0 w/w% to 20 w/w% minerals, and e) from 0 w/w% to 45 w/w% fat.

Claim 15 (Currently Amended). A calf milk replacer according to claim 15 ~~characterised in that it is comprising~~ 14, wherein said calf milk replacer comprises from 1 to 35% ~~a~~ of said composition ~~which is containing a) 20 w/w% to 70 w/w% cereal proteins, b) from 25 w/w% to 70 w/w% maltodextrin having a DE of 3 to 10, preferably a DE of 5, c) from 1 w/w% to 20 w/w% amino acids, d) from 0 w/w% to 20 w/w% minerals, and e) from 0 w/w% to 45 w/w% fat.~~

Claim 16 (New). A composition according to claim 1, wherein said maltodextrin has a DE of 5.

Claim 17 (New). A composition according to claim 1, wherein said cereal proteins are hydrolyzed wheat gluten.

Claim 18 (New). A composition according to claim 11, wherein said maltodextrin has a DE of 5.